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Hon. Robyn F. Tarnofsky  
United States Magistrate Judge  
Southern District of New York  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007

**Re: United States v. Valkar Singh**  
**24-MJ-4316 (UA)**

Dear Judge Tarnofsky:

I write to request that the Court vacate its January 8 order modifying Mr. Singh's bail conditions, and reinstate the original bond conditions imposed at presentment.

On January 8, 2025, the Court modified Mr. Singh's bail conditions to permit him to reside at an address in the Western District of New York, provided that his mother co-sign his bond for moral suasion. The government appealed that order to the Part I judge on January 9, 2025.

Mr. Singh has since informed me that the bail modification is no longer necessary, since he and his family are exploring housing options in the Districts in which he was authorized to reside at the presentment (SDNY/EDNY/DNJ), which he will present to Pretrial Services for approval in accordance with the original bond conditions. Judge Cronan, the sitting Part I judge, is aware that I am requesting this Court to vacate its January 8 order on consent, which would obviate the need for an appeal. Judge Cronan has cancelled a scheduled hearing on the appeal.

It is therefore requested that the Court vacate its January 8 bail modification order and reinstate the original bond conditions.

Sincerely,



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